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25X1	I was unable to meet with Guy McConnell, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, this afternoon, but I left with Jane McMullan, of the staff, the statement which we had prepared for Chairman McClellan's use regarding the Committee's review of NSCIDs yesterday and also a copy of Mr. Colby's open confirmation hearings as printed by the Senate Armed Services Committee.
25X1	Alerted George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, to preparations which the Chinese are making for another nuclear test. I told Murphy that we had not seen all of the evidence normally involved in such preparations, but it was still possible that the test could come off at any time.
25X1 25X1C	16. Met with Paul Summitt, Deputy Chief Counsel of the Senate Judiciary Committee, Criminal Laws and Procedures Subcommittee, to alert him to our interest in which pertains to the 25X1 I told Summitt of the Director's conversation with Chairman Morgan, House Foreign Affairs Committee, regarding this provision and reviewed with Summitt the various alternatives which would be desirable from this Agency's point of view. Summitt said in his opinion the language of this section was not intended to prohibit exchanges of information between agencies such as I described, but he did acknowledge that the unusually broad language contained in this section as it was originally drafted in the Foreign Relations Committee left many questions unanswered. He suggested that if the House conferees were unable to knock out the Senate language and we were unsuccessful in our efforts to get some clarifying language inserted in the bill or conference report, we should review the matter with our Committees and
25X1C	get their agreement that there was no intention to bar our exchanges of information